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ENTIRE FAMILY ARE KILLED FOR MONEY

AMOUNT ESTIMATED TO BE BETWEEN \$6,000 AND \$10,000.

Was One of the Best Colored Families in the County and Liked by All Classes.

From Saturday's Daily Sun:
News was received in Gainesville on Friday of a most horrible murder and robbery in Columbia county, near Fort White, and only a short distance between the dividing line of this and the former county.

From parties who arrived from Fort White it was learned that an entire family were killed, supposedly all of the eye-witnesses to the affair, and the money taken from the home of the murdered people after the deed was committed.

The killing occurred on what is known in that section as the old Herlong place, but what is now called the Myers plantation, and as near as possible the facts are about as follows: During late in the evening on Tuesday a white man whose name was Cox called in front of the place and engaged in conversation with Sailor, the son-in-law of the murdered man, and the two men walked up the road and disappeared from sight, when the report of a gun was heard, and the next day the man, Sailor, was found lying in the road, dead from the effects of a pistol shot.

Following this shot the same man, Cox, so witnesses stated, was seen to go back to the house and when within a few feet of Calvin Banks, who was on his porch, he fired upon him, afterwards killing his wife, who was in the kitchen just about fifteen feet from where the husband lay, and who had previously saw the occurrence but was too frightened to move or give alarm.

After killing all three of the parties Cox walked into the home of the negro and took his satchel, which was filled with money, it being variously estimated that the amount was anywhere from \$6,000 to \$10,000.

A coroner's jury was impaneled and held an investigation of the matter, and the man Cox was taken to Lake City, where he was released under a bond of \$400 and is now at liberty.

Banks was an aged darkey of the ante-bellum days and had been a resident of that section for a large number of years, being universally liked by the white and black people alike all over the county. He had by his hard work managed to accumulate a considerable sum of money, farming, which always paid him well, and he managed to sell a large number of beef cattle each year, this always bringing him \$300 or over. The general impression is that the negro must have had not less than \$9,000 or \$10,000 at the time of his murder.

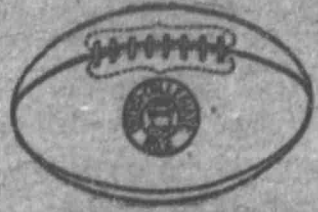
At the trial the evidence was in substance related as above by two of the grandchildren who claimed to have witnessed the entire occurrence, and it has caused great excitement in the town of Fort White, where the negroes were best known. The white people seem to take a great interest in the matter and they are more thoroughly aroused over it than the colored people, for this crime happened just about one year from the time when the Tolen brothers were murdered and robbed on the same place. The Tolens were well-to-do white people and among the oldest settlers of that county, and had amassed considerable money, which was kept in the home the same as the old darkey kept his.

When the negro, Sailor, was found the next day the hogs had devoured part of his head, where it had been beaten by a knot after the shooting, and the whole murdered trio lay just as they had been left for several hours before the alarm was finally spread to the surrounding country.

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BAIRD'S

OPENING OF SEASON.

New Baird Was Well Filled on Friday Evening.

The New Baird Theatre on Friday evening was well filled by an appreciative audience who had assembled to witness the performance of "St. Elmo," the beautiful romance by a Southern novelist, and which has been read and re-read by many. The company producing the play is one well worthy of merit, and Manager McCollum is to be commended in securing an opening attraction which has given such universal satisfaction.

The story of St. Elmo has been read by so many and the plot so widely known that a description of the plot would be superfluous. St. Elmo on the stage is a pleasing, artistic production. Nor is the production lacking in science embellishment, the leading feature of which is the library room in the Murray establishment.

The central idea, namely that the love of a good woman may restore to his normal self a man who, through deceit and treachery, has lost faith in everything, in human fairness as well as Divine Justice, and has made a pariah of himself, is carried out in Mr. Twomey's dramatization in forceful, fascinating style. The members in the cast share equally in the credit of making the drama a success.

On the whole "St. Elmo" proved a charming play and fully merited the liberal patronage accorded it.

More Than Enough Is Too Much.

To maintain health, a mature man or woman needs just enough food to repair the waste and supply energy and body heat. The habitual consumption of more food than is necessary for these purposes is the prime cause of stomach troubles, rheumatism and disorders of the kidneys. If troubled with indigestion, revise your diet, let reason and not appetite control and take a few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and you will soon be all right again. For sale by all druggists.

Pathfinder's Fine Compliment.

The Tampa Times' pathfinder touring car went from Tampa to Jacksonville via Sanford, Daytona, St. Augustine, and returned via Baldwin, Starke, Waldo, Gainesville, Ocala, Stokes' Ferry, Brooksville, etc. In a telegram sent from Ocala to The Times the representative of that paper says:

"The road from Gainesville to Ocala is fine for the greater part of the way, and through the most beautiful country we have yet seen."

That's the glory we get out of it. Gradually we are becoming discovered. —Ocala Banner, 12th.

For Chapped Skin.

Chapped skin whether on the hands or face may be cured in one night by applying Chamberlain's Salve. It is also unequalled for sore nipples, burns and scalds. For sale by all druggists.

NEW MODE OF TRAVEL FOR T. & J. RAILWAY

PASSENGER MOTOR CAR WILL BE PLACED IN SERVICE.

Better Time, Better Facilities, and a General Improvement All Around Is Promised the Public.

A new mode of transportation is soon to be operated through this section by the T. & J. railway, which will put on a service between Sampson City and Gainesville that will always "be on time," and at the same time do away with a great deal of the worry of smoke and dirt in travel.

It is understood that the company have placed an order for a new motor car, sufficiently large to accommodate a number of passengers, express and mail, and that it will be used mainly on the north end of the line for the connection with the G. S. & F. railway, at Sampson.

The new motor car will be a revelation in traveling for this section, and while they are used almost exclusively in some places, it will be the first to be operated in Florida, and probably in the South, but it has been of such long-standing usage in the North and East that the management believes that no trouble will be experienced in handling the business by this method. On the other hand the cost will be decreased, a great deal more comfort will be derived, and in all it will prove a revelation in the mode of travel.

Just how long before this new service will be placed in operation has not been stated by Manager Glass, but he hopes to have it within the next few weeks, and then the road will be enabled to handle a much larger business in and out of Gainesville, as it will have the proper accommodations.

SHE PUT HER FLOWERS

ON THE WRONG GRAVE.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—"Please do not put any more flowers on my grave" was the message on a piece of cardboard which Mrs. McDonald of Brooklyn found on the grave in Mount Olivet Cemetery, on which for fifteen years she had been placing flowers weekly. Believing that it was the grave of a dear relative, Mrs. McDonald was indignant and protested to the superintendent of the cemetery.

He looked up the records and found that her relative was really buried some distance from the grave which she had been so faithfully decorating.

PELLAGRA AT OCALA.

OCALA, Oct. 13.—Dr. Blitch yesterday reported a case of pellagra at the Marion Farms. The patient is a negro who was sent here from Sarasota by State Prison Physician Willis for examination. Two physicians at that place diagnosed the case as pellagra. The case is in milder chronic form.

A Banquet

Spread before you would do you no good if you couldn't eat. What good can food do a child when as soon as it enters its stomach it is eaten by worms. That's the reason your baby is ailing, cross, pasty-faced and thin. Give it White's Cream Vermifuge. It will expel the worms and act as a tonic for the child. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

Married by Judge Mason.

Judge Mason was called upon to perform a marriage ceremony Thursday, the contracting parties being a Mr. Tucker and Miss Williams of High Springs. This duty the Judge performed with his usual dignity, after which the happy pair returned to their home on the evening train.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has become famous for its cures of coughs, colds, croup and influenza. Try it when in need. It contains no harmful substance and always gives prompt relief. Sold by all druggists.

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Send for Price List and Catalogue—Mailed Free

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GAINESVILLE WILL HAVE TOURIST RATE

SHOULD BE GENERALLY ADVERTISED BY CITY.

Tickets Will Also Have Stop-Over Privileges During the Coming Tourist Season.

Gainesville will have the tourist rate during the coming season, and will also have stop-over privileges on the through tickets to St. Petersburg and other tourist points, so it was stated Friday by a gentleman who has been in correspondence about the matter for many months past.

While this matter was agitated a great deal during the past season it seems that only a few of the most ardent workers have kept the same before the railway people and it was through their efforts that Gainesville will have this prestige and one which will give her a handsome tourist business this season if properly advertised and pushed by the Board of Trade.

That this move will prove of great benefit to Gainesville and the surrounding country there is little doubt, and now the step that should be taken at once is for the amusement of the people when they visit here. Give them some places to go and spend their time besides walking about the dusty streets, and it will be only a question of a few winters before we will have the great overflow of travel as was experienced here in the early days of the city.

Gainesville has two fine hotels, and if necessary other places are here and obtainable that could be easily used for the accommodation of many people during part of the year. A few well-satisfied ones this season would double the business another year.

The Board of Trade should interest themselves and advertise the town, get up an interesting booklet with views of the city and state in a few plain facts just what amusements and entertainment people could expect by coming to this place.

GEORGIA MAN HELD

IN TAMPA FOR MURDER.

TAMPA, Fla., Oct. 13.—Wanted in Clinch county, Georgia, for murder of Chris Vining, W. W. Delks was arrested here last night. Delks was telling a friend of the killing while riding into Tampa on a train. The conversation was overheard and the police notified. Delks admits he is the man wanted, and the Georgia authorities have been communicated with. Delks claims the killing, which occurred on August 12, was accidental.

STOMACH TROUBLE.

It took for Years Until He Heard of Micona—J. W. McCollum & Co. Sell It.

If you suffer from indigestion, belching of gas, lump of lead on stomach, nervousness, dizziness, foul breath, constipation, or headache, give J. W. McCollum & Co. 50 cents today for a box of Mi-on-a, the celebrated stomach prescription, and it doesn't cure you they will give you your money back. It relieves all stomach distress in five minutes. Read the following:

"I had stomach trouble for years. I was eating I would be troubled for an hour or so with indigestion. I bought one box of Mi-on-a tablets from Gaffney Drug Co., which completely cured me. That was 12 months ago and to this day I have not been troubled again."—J. B. Haskey, Gaffney, S. C., April 20, 1909.

Micona is the best prescription for stomach trouble ever written; not only does it give quick relief, but it permanently cleanses the system, builds up the elasticity into the stomach, and Mi-on-a is put up in tablets. Sold by leading druggists everywhere and in Gainesville by J. W. McCollum & Co., who rigidly guarantee them. Test sample free. Address: J. W. McCollum & Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

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DOING THEIR DUTY

Scores of Gainesville Readers Are Learning the Duty of the Kidneys.

To filter the blood is the kidneys' duty. When they fail to do this the kidneys are sick.

Backache and many kidney ills follow; Urinary trouble, diabetes. Doan's Kidney Pills cure them all. Gainesville people endorse our claim.

Mrs. V. E. Spence, 201 W. Arlington street, Gainesville, Fla., says: "It would be hard to describe how I suffered from a weak and aching back. At times the pains were so intense that I could not get up or down. I was also troubled by rheumatism and different parts of my body became stiff and lame. A friend finally advised me to try Doan's Kidney Pills and procuring a box, I began their use. I am glad to say that they lived up to representations, removing the pains and disposing of the rheumatism. I can honestly say that Doan's Kidney Pills did me more good than any medicine I had previously taken."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

JACKSONVILLE VISITED

BY \$40,000 CONFLAGRATION.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Oct. 14.—Flames which originated in the second story of the J. E. T. Bowden building, 125 to 137 Bridge street, shortly after 9 o'clock last night, partially destroyed that structure, which was originally known as the Coliseum, and damaged the Lillenthal building, next adjoining to the north and extending to the corner of Bridge and Adams streets. The damage totals between \$35,000 and \$40,000. Insurance will cover loss on the building and the large part of the loss on the stock of business houses which occupied the first floor and rooming house on the second.

The origin of the fire, which will probably never be definitely known, is thought to have been either the accidental overturning of a gasoline stove in quarters occupied by colored performers of the Baxter vaudeville house, or from spontaneous combustion in the storage room of the Brittain second-hand store on the second floor. Mrs. Brittain declares that the fire did not start in her place, while Baxter says it did not start in his part of the building.

DISCOVER LOST MAN

SERVING SENTENCE.

ALEXANDRIA, Va., Oct. 13.—Missing from his boarding-house for about a month, and believed to be the victim of foul play, George House, in the employ of the Packard Land Company, of Pensacola, Fla., was yesterday traced to the jail of the District of Columbia, where he is serving a term of nine months for assault.

When House dropped out of sight, diligent search was made for him. Not until yesterday was it learned that under the name of Williams he had been convicted and sentenced.

Slightly Colder With Snow.

When you see that kind of weather forecast you know that rheumatism weather is at hand. Get ready for it now by getting a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment. Finest thing made for rheumatism, chilblains, frost bite, sore and stiff joints and muscles, all aches and pains. 25c, 50c and \$1.00 a bottle. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

FUNERAL OF MISS SHANNON.

Remains Laid to Rest in Evergreen Cemetery Thursday Morning.

The remains of the late Miss Lillian Shannon were laid to rest Thursday morning in Evergreen Cemetery, a large circle of friends following them to their last resting-place.

The services were conducted from the home of the deceased by Rev. F. R. Bridges at 10 o'clock.

The pleasant purgative effect experienced by all who use Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, and the healthy condition of the body and mind which they create, makes one feel joyful. Sold by all druggists.

If it's printed stationery you want The Sun office is the place to get it.

CORONER'S JURY HOLD AN INVESTIGATION

YOUNG ROBINSON'S DEATH DEEPLY REGRETTED AT ARCHER.

Careless Handling of Gasoline Alleged to Have Caused Number of Accidents Heretofore.

From Friday's Daily Sun:

In the case at Archer wherein Albert Robinson was burned to death as a result of gasoline, Justice Chamblin decided that an inquest was necessary in the matter.

The jury, which was in session for some time, and who heard a number of witnesses, rendered a verdict to the effect that "Albert Robinson came to his death by being burned through the careless handling of gasoline by himself and fellow-employees of the Crown Bottling Works. G. R. Linus was foreman of the jury."

Rumor has it that during the past several months a number of cases wherein boys and employees have been "tampering" with gasoline have been reported, but the death of young Robinson caused the matter to be investigated.

LAID TO REST.

Albert Robinson's Remains Interred in Archer Cemetery.

ARCHER, Oct. 15.—The body of little Albert Robinson, who was so badly burned that death relieved him of his suffering, was laid to rest in the Archer cemetery on Wednesday. The remains were taken from Dr. Rice's office to the Presbyterian church, Dr. Newman preaching the sermon to a large congregation. Little Albert was a general favorite and his many friends came to pay their last tribute. Beautiful flowers covered his grave. His mother, Mrs. Annie B. Robinson, desires to express her sincere thanks to the many friends who were so kind and attentive to her dear boy in his affliction and death.

A Shaking Up

May all be very well so far as the trusts are concerned, but not when it comes to chills and fever and malaria. Quit the quinine and take a real cure—Ballard's Herbine. Contains no harmful drugs and is as certain as taxes. If it doesn't cure, you get your money back. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

More Sidewalk Building.

G. K. Broome is having new granite sidewalks placed in front of his property on the east side of the square, while Benson & Son are having sidewalks placed in front of their property on East Union street. In all sections of the city improvement is noticeable, and at this season it is needed to assist in the appearance of the city for the reception of the winter people.

It is in time of sudden mishap or accident that Chamberlain's Liniment can be relied upon to take the place of the family doctor, who cannot always be found at the moment. Then it is that Chamberlain's Liniment is never found wanting. In case of sprains, cuts, wounds and bruises Chamberlain's Liniment takes out the soreness and drives away the pain. Sold by all druggists.

Had Pleasant Time.

C. E. Wood, the popular and efficient bookkeeper for the Gainesville Hardware Company, has returned from his annual vacation, which was spent in South Florida on the Gulf Coast. He had a most delightful time hunting and fishing and found the oyster very good for the early season.

Horseness in a child subject to croup is a sure indication of the approach of the disease. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is given at once after the croupy cough has appeared, it will prevent the attack. Contains no poison. Sold by all druggists.

Flames which are thought to have originated from a gasoline stove damaged property in Ybor City Tuesday to the amount of \$10,000. The fire was in the business section.

Your cough annoys you. Keep on hacking and tearing the delicate membranes of your throat if you want to be annoyed. But if you want relief, want to be cured, take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Sold by all druggists.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought

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MATERIAL HAS ARRIVED.

Was Made to Order to Complete New Home of Major Thomas.

From Saturday's Daily Sun:

The material for the new and handsome home of Major W. R. Thomas has at last arrived. It was especially constructed for this building, which means that it will now be completed without further delay.

This place, which was started by the late C. W. Chase, is probably the most expensive house in the central part of the State. All of the doors, mantels, ash, mouldings and blinds had to be specially made for the building, and it has taken the company that had the contract something over six months to fill the order.

Major Thomas stated Friday that he was glad that they had at last arrived, and on Monday he would start the carpenters at work and not cease until the same is completed and ready for occupancy.

Dr. A. Dolan

Mild Medicine Treatment for Horses and Mules' Eyes

Gainesville - - Florida

Death at Micanopy.

Monroe Brown, one of the old and influential citizens of Ocala, but who has for the past number of years been making his home with his daughter, Mrs. Knox of Micanopy, died at the latter place on Wednesday, the funeral occurring on Thursday at Micanopy cemetery.

The Sun office for calling cards.

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The Sun and The Semi-Weekly Times-Union one year 1.50

We will not accept stamps of a larger denomination than 2 cents.

Parties who spent last winter in Gainesville will be agreeably surprised at the growth of the town when they return this fall. Scores of new houses have been erected during their absence.

Judge Wall has issued an injunction against the sale of the Manatee county bonds voted to the amount of \$250,000. A majority of the board of county commissioners refused to sign a resolution stating how they intended to spend the money, and this brought about the restraining order.

The pathfinder showered our immediate section with flowers. They said that the country between Gainesville and Ocala was the prettiest that they had seen between Jacksonville and Tampa, and that the road out of Ocala was mostly paved. It will soon be paved all the way and will be made the official autoing route between the two cities. Then when the visitors travel on down the backbone of the peninsula they will have seen something of Florida.—Ocala Banner.

The position of Charles W. Morse, frenzied financier, newly elected president of several corporations and liquidator of six millions of dollars of debts which were largely the result of fraudulent banking, says The Pensacola Journal, is about as anomalous as one may ever expect to see. He languishes in the Tombs prison while his case is being appealed and it appears likely that the United States Supreme Court will confirm his fifteen-year sentence. And should he have to serve his term how will he be able to continue in his many offices and transact business when locked up in the Government prison at Atlanta?

The Military Carnival to be held in Jacksonville the latter part of November is not a private affair, as have been the so-called carnivals of the past years, but a public enterprise for the entertainment of visitors. The net proceeds, if any, will go to the benefit of the National Guard of Jacksonville, and the business men of the city all have an interest in the success of the carnival, which will be a street affair. Major Cromwell Gibbons is the prime mover in the enterprise and the fact that he is at the head of the carnival assures its success. Visitors during Carnival week this year can rest assured that they will be well repaid for the trip.

General Law, editor of The Bartow Courier-Informant, made good in every instance as a political prophet at the last election, and the following from his last issue shows that he is still possessed of the political sagacity for which he has become noted: "It is said that Hon. Ion L. Farris of Jacksonville, speaker of the House of Representatives in the last Legislature, has decided to become a candidate for Congress in Frank Clark's district. Ion's political bark was completely wrecked by his course in the Legislature. He may have repaired it sufficiently to attempt another voyage, but there is little doubt that this time it will find a port on the head waters of salt river."

NOVEMBER ELECTIONS.

Governors or minor officers will be elected in ten States early in November, the elections occurring on either the second or the sixth of the month. Only a few of them will have importance, however, in a political way. The election in Massachusetts will be interesting, although the element of doubt will not be present to any great extent. This State gave Bryan 155,543 votes, Taft 265,966, Yahey 161,162 and Draper 228,318 in 1908. It is not likely that the Republican majorities will disappear next month.

Rhode Island is uncertain enough in these days to make it a fruitful subject of speculation. Taft carried it in 1908 by a majority of 19,000, and Pothier, the Republican candidate for Governor, by 7,000.

Because of the interest which the national administration is taking in the campaign in Maryland and Virginia, these are attracting a great deal of attention. Members of the cabinet, it is announced, will speak in both States. President Taft's utterances with relation to the principal issue in Maryland (a constitutional amendment) having been made in Boston in the first instance, and at the beginning of his present tour, are familiar. The Republican candidate, Kent, is making a strong fight for the Governorship of Virginia. He is an advocate of local option, while his opponent, Mann, is a State-wide prohibitionist. Virginia has been tending toward the doubtful column for some years past. When the full vote is called out the Democrats have not nearly such a large margin as formerly. The present Democratic Governor, Swanson, was elected by a majority of 38,000, but Bryan carried the State by only 30,000 in 1898. At present the liquor issue is leading to a new alignment.

It is worthy of mention and of remembrance that the elections in Maryland and Virginia next month will be the first held in the South since President Taft entered on his policy of conciliation. For this, among other reasons, the result will be looked forward to with great interest.

COAL SUPPLY INEXHAUSTIBLE.

There are 3,064,334,111,000 tons of coal yet remaining in the U. S. according to a report by E. W. Parker of the U. S. Geological Survey, who states that the total production in 1908 was 415,842,698 tons, which would seem to indicate the last clinder would drop into the ashbox some 7,365 years hence, or along about the year 9,295. If the coal is not all gone by that time Mr. Parker will be glad to explain the reason to anyone who calls. He says the revised estimates place the total original coal supply of the United States at 3,076,204,000,000 short tons, of which 1,922,979,000,000 short tons are considered to be easily accessible. Classified by the character of the coal, the original supply consisted of 21,000,000 short tons of anthracite, 1,661,457,000,000 tons of bituminous coal, 650,157,000,000 tons of sub-bituminous coal and 743,590,000,000 tons of lignite.

The total production of coal in the United States at the close of 1908 was 7,280,940,265 short tons, which, including the waste involved in the mining and preparation, represented an exhaustion of 11,870,049,900 tons, leaving as the apparent supply still available 3,064,340,011,000 tons, or 99.6 per cent of the original supply; that is to say, up to the beginning of 1909 only four-tenths of one per cent of the original supply of coal has been exhausted. The quantity of coal still available at the close of 1908 was 7,369 times the production in that year and 4,913 times the exhaustion represented by that production.

Not unoften the public pulse thrills at the story of some heroic deed performed under trying circumstances. All such acts have a value beyond the immediate one, for they increase our faith in man and are an incentive to self-denying sacrifice. But let us not forget in paying well deserved honor to such heroes that in almost every community people are leading heroic lives every day. Newspapers do not mention them, no Carnegie medal is bestowed upon them, yet none the less, patiently, unobtrusively, courageously, in the midst of well-nigh crushing conditions of domestic trials, business difficulties or physical disability, they lead the hero life, and though their experience may be unrecognized by men the recording angels take note of all.

The Sun office for calling cards.

GETTING BADLY HIT.

The liquor business continues to receive hard body blows, and they are given from all directions. The Southern States keep on passing prohibition laws or in strengthening those already in existence. In other States county and other local option laws are also making themselves felt. The result of it all is a diminished consumption of liquor, as the decreased internal revenue returns clearly show.

The same story comes from other lands. The revenue from liquor has dropped considerably in Great Britain, and now an interesting fact comes from Germany. That country has increased largely the tax on beer. The brewers and retail sellers have sought to recoup themselves by raising the price, and here is the result in Kiel: In the government dockyard of that city the 8,000 workmen were accustomed to drink 12,000 bottles of beer every day. These workmen resented the increased tax and turned to milk, coffee and mineral waters, and as one result the 12,000 daily bottles of beer have fallen to 120. Another result is better work and far less loss of time by the workmen.

Having failed to persuade Hon. S. J. Hilburn of Palatka to enter the race for Congress the opposition to Congressman Clark will naturally center upon Senator L. W. Zim. We have always had an affectionate feeling for Louis Zim, and if he were running for any other office than the one our present Congressman so admirably fills we would most likely vote for him.

MIXSON—BODIE.

From Sunday's Daily Sun:

On Tuesday afternoon, October 12th, Dr. Charles Guy Mixson of this city and Miss Theora Eloise Bodie of Batesburg, S. C., were married at the home of the bride's parents. Following the ceremony they were escorted to the train by quite a number of their most intimate friends. En route home they visited Columbia, S. C., and Jacksonville, Fla., arriving home Thursday at 5:45 p. m., when a few relatives and friends gathered at the home of the groom's parents to offer congratulations and best wishes. An elegant supper was served, after which the guests whiled away the evening in pleasant conversation interspersed with music.

The bride is the beautiful and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Bodie of Batesburg, S. C., while the groom is the second son of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Mixson, and a prospering young dentist, having recently graduated with honors at the Atlanta Dental College.

This couple have many friends here and in Batesburg, S. C., that wish for them abundant success and happiness. They are at home to their friends, at the home of the groom's parents, No. 600 South Pleasant street. A GUEST.

PATE SIMS RELEASED.

Says He Will Stay Clear of High Springs in Future.

From Sunday's Daily Sun:

Pate Sims, who has twice been convicted and sent up from the city of High Springs, was released on bond Saturday and is once more a free person.

"Pate" was seen and when asked if he intended to again visit that place said he thought that he now understood the sentiment of the people there toward him and he proposed to seek other fields, where he would engage in some vocation, if only at a small salary.

While the lad is young, he has had the experience sufficient for anyone, and is considered at times a very bright chap.

YOUNG MEN WANTED.

Government Pays From \$600 to \$1,600 A Year, No Lay-Offs.

Free Scholarships Are Offered.

Railway mail clerks, postoffice clerks, city carriers, rural mail carriers wanted.

Examinations in the vicinity of Gainesville soon. Short hours, salary twice monthly, annual vacation and life position.

Thousands of appointments are to be made. Common education is all you need; city and country people have equal chance and political influence is unnecessary. Free scholarships during October and November. No time to lose. Write to Central Schools, Dept. 1,003, Rochester, N. Y.

RATHER THAN SURRENDER BANDIT COMMITS SUICIDE

Fashionably-Dressed Man Forced Bank Employees to Stand Aside While He Secured Funds.

CHICAGO, Oct. 14.—A fashionably-dressed bandit who early yesterday afternoon robbed the savings bank of D. M. Erskine & Co., in Highland Park, Ill., an aristocratic suburb on the lakeshore, twenty-five miles north of Chicago, committed suicide by shooting himself in the mouth when driven to bay by the Highland Park marshal and a posse of citizens.

A companion of the robber, who had driven him to the bank in an automobile, was captured immediately following the robbery, forcing the principal perpetrator of the daring daylight crime to flee on foot. He was engaged in a running duel with Town Marshal John Sheehan, who was the target for many bullets from the fugitive's revolver, one of which went through the sleeve of his coat. After running several blocks and failing to drive back his pursuers, the robber ran into a shed closely followed by Sheehan. When he saw Sheehan in the shed with his revolver leveled at his head, the fugitive put the muzzle of his own revolver in his mouth and fired a shot which resulted in his death immediately. The identity of the dead man and his companion is unknown.

The robbery was conducted in a deliberate and a spectacular manner, the bandit securing about \$500 in gold coin and bills after he had forced John C. Duffy, cashier of the bank, into the cashier's cage just after the closing of business for the day.

"Call everyone in here into that cage, or I'll blow your head off. Hurry up," said the robber as he covered them with a revolver. Duffy, unarmed, complied with the demand. The bookkeeper and the receiving teller came into the cage while the intruder helped himself to all the money in sight. He carefully tucked the gold

and bills into his pockets and then claimed: "If any of you attempt to follow me, I will kill you." He started for the door, and Duffy immediately telephoned the marshal's office across the street. By the time the robber reached the automobile, Sheehan was running toward the bank. At the sight of him, the robber broke into a run, and citizens held the chauffeur. The chase after the fugitive was thrilling one, but ended in his suicide within a few minutes. All the money taken from the bank was found in his clothes.

The robbers had called at the bank early in the day.

It was learned that the dead robber had registered at the Avenue Hotel in Evanston, Ill., Wednesday night. C. Wilson, Milwaukee, Wis., and the automobile which took him to the Highland Park bank had been loaned him by J. E. Kelly, a wealthy mining man of Goldfield, Nev., who lives in Evanston part of the year.

The man under arrest, believed by the police to have been a confederate of the robber, is Keelyn's chauffeur. His name is Fred Schwab and he has been a trusted employ of Keelyn the West and in Chicago for several years.

Schwab declares that he knew nothing about the character of his passenger and that he had suspected nothing until he saw him take to his heels after leaving the bank. Keelyn told the authorities how Wilson had gained confidence in a talk at the hotel Wednesday night, relating to him incidents of life in the West with which he was familiar. Yesterday when he sought to hire an automobile, Keelyn suggested that he take his. Keelyn also loaned him his fur automobile coat, which the robber was wearing when he shot himself.

INDIANS PRESENT TAFT WITH GIFTS

ENTERTAINED BY THEM IN NEW MEXICO TOWNSHIP.

The President Addressed Them Assuring Them of the Good Will of the Government.

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Oct. 16.—President Taft had another day of travel through the far Southwest yesterday, travelling the long reaches of the territory of New Mexico.

At LaGuana, a township made up entirely of Indians, the President was met by a local committee of Indians and there he had one of the most unique entertainments of his trip.

As he sat in a little canopied stand in the plaza enclosed with adobe huts and walls, the President was showered with presents. There were blankets of gaudy color, Indian beads and other offerings which the red men had fashioned in his honor. This plaza itself, the walls and terraced roofs of the adobe houses, were lined with Indians, the squaws being attired in fantastic costumes which showed all the brighter under the glare of an unclouded sun.

In a little speech spoken slowly and with emphasis on each syllable in order that all who spoke English at all might understand, the President assured the Indians of the good will of the Government and urged them to be good farmers and good artisans. He was warmly applauded and every Indian wanted to shake his hand.

HIGH SPRINGS.

HIGH SPRINGS, Oct. 15.—Rev. E. B. Clark, a prominent citizen of High Springs, has been very ill the past week and is still in bed.

The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. Swilley and left a fine eight-pound boy.

Miss Mural Futch of St. Petersburg has been visiting friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ryals spent

a delightful afternoon at the fishing Monday, accompanied by Mr. Alfie and Miss Dacey Clark.

Mr. Lewis Nelson has recovered from a severe illness.

Mrs. Watson is on the sick list.

High Springs will be very busy when the marriages are all over, seems as if all of the young girls are going to marry.

Miss Iola Robinson of Alachua who has been spending a few days in the city with her friends, has returned home.

Mr. Ferman Calcutt is on the sick list with chills and fever.

BONNIE MELROSE.

MELROSE, Oct. 16.—The county part of Melrose cast 23 votes in the recent wet and dry election, 20 dry, 2 wet, one void, all of which shows where our citizens stand on the liquor question.

The many friends of Senator W. Baker were glad to see him more in town on Tuesday after a long stay at the Valdosta hospital.

L. M. Pearsall of Westfield, N. J. is having quite extensive alterations made at "Seminole Ridge," which and his family will occupy during winter season.

T. A. Birt and family have removed to the Willets cottage and Mrs. J. Goodwin will occupy the Birt cottage at once.

Work has begun on the barn which be used to remove the hyacinths from Lake Alto.

Wilson Co's. Opening.

The Wilson Company, the new dry goods store for Gainesville, has an enlarged space in today's paper in which they announce the opening of their ladies' ready-to-wear department, also the millinery department, all of which are to be thrown open for your inspection on next Wednesday and Thursday, Oct. 20 and 21.

They have been delayed somewhat this opening owing to the sickness of a great many of their goods, and the carpenters have been making the necessary alterations in this mammoth stock that will show for your inspection. What they have to say and what investigation.

INTEREST AT SCHOOL WAS NEVER BETTER

OF CASSELS STATES THAT ATTENDANCE IS NEARLY 500.

Interest Manifested by Both Pupils and Teachers and Work Progressing Nicely.

The average daily attendance of Gainesville Graded and High school for the first month, which ended Friday, was 449 17-20. This is 30 more than the highest for any month of last term. Attendance is still increasing day to day. It is only a question of time until another teacher will have to be employed, or else the total enrollment is now 486, of which 14 are in the high school department.

It is safe to say that the work done in the interest manifested by this school was never better than at present. It is seldom that a pupil is absent without a legitimate excuse. One hundred and one pupils were absent nor tardy during the first month. There is quite a rivalry in the different grades in an effort to make the highest percentage of attendance. The grade making the highest percentage, in each department, is entitled to a half-holiday.

BERGLADES A GREAT INLAND SEA OF WATER

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Distributed at the different camps. There has been no scarcity of food at any of the camps since the storm.

PORT MYERS' LIBERALITY.

PORT MYERS, Oct. 16.—At a call meeting of the business men of town this afternoon \$900 was collected and telegraphed to the authorities at Key West for the relief of storm sufferers.

NORMAL CONDITIONS AGAIN.

Tram Cars Running and Lights on Again at Key West.

KEY WEST, Oct. 16.—The city has returned to normal conditions. Today the cars are running and electric lights were on last night. The Circle of Mercy is doing a noble work in caring for the destitute people, under the direction of Mayor Fogarty. A call was made yesterday for hydraulic jacks to reset hundreds of houses which had been blown off their pillars. Reports from the railroad executives indicate no additional lives lost and the damage is not as bad as first estimated.

Instead Roberts of the tug Pelton is here at Cripe Hotel. The vessel from the tug Sybil are: Capt. Engineer Fox, Pilot Whitcomb, Engineer Peterson and seven hands, Greeks and Spaniards, unknown here. The tug Pelton was saved.

for the victims of the hurricane which swept this city last Monday continues to reach the city and work of relief is being pushed rapidly as possible. It is stated the work of cleaning up the city has far progressed that there is danger of an epidemic of sickness. A donation of \$200 has been received from the militia organization at Gainesville and assurance is given that a much larger sum will be taken from the business men of that city to help the storm sufferers here. It is also stated that the national government will render assistance in response to an appeal sent by Mayor Fogarty.

Missing Her Third Trip.
and Mrs. D. G. Edwards received information that Mrs. Seiden, a sister of Mr. Edwards, will return next week for her third Oriental trip. This time she is a member of the Dr. Clarke party and will deliver a series of lectures on the trip. She was formerly a resident of Gainesville, having been born and raised here, and at one time was a teacher in the public schools.

have lost or found anything, but to keep your eye on the storm observing column.

GRAND FALL OPENING

AT

WILSON COMPANY'S NEW STORE

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY
OCTOBER 20th and 21st.....

Your presence is respectfully requested at this event, where you will find displayed for your appreciation the Grandest Showing of Popular-Priced Millinery and Ladies' Fine Ready-to-Wear Goods ever shown in the city. Not a Hat or Garment in this showing but what is Absolutely New and Up-to-Date in every way.

We want you to feel that this is Your Store for these two days to come and go as you like and enjoy yourself to the fullest extent. You will not be asked to buy, but will be given every attention.

In connection with the above lines will be shown Silks, Dress Goods, Fancy Notions, Men's Furnishings, Curtains, Rugs, Blankets, Comforts, Etc.

Remember the Dates

You Will Be Welcome

Both Phones

WILSON COMPANY

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SOUTH SUFFERS MUCH DAMAGE FROM STORM

High Winds Prevailed Over Large Area---Hail-Stones
As Large As Oranges at Rome.

ATLANTA, Oct. 15.—The worst hailstorm perhaps that the South has ever experienced, with its accompanying heavy wind and electrical display, assuming in some sections cyclonic proportions, left serious damage to crops and property in its wake through North Georgia, North Alabama and Tennessee, late Thursday afternoon, and claimed several lives in the latter State. With wire communication badly crippled in every direction and hundreds of towns in the path of the disturbance entirely isolated, it is impossible to estimate the damage, but it is believed here that the cotton remaining in the fields in the path of the storm is practically a total loss, with the damage to the property running into the hundreds of thousands of dollars.

Starting about sixty miles east of Atlanta at 5 o'clock the storm swept northwest, and inside of two hours had traversed a large section of this State, crossed several counties in Tennessee and was last reported moving westward over North Alabama. Hailstones varying in size from one to three inches in diameter fell all the way from Atlanta, Ga., to Decatur, Ala., and at Tennessee points.

Denmark, in Madison county, Tenn., is practically demolished, the added horror of fire following quickly in the wake of the storm. At this place

eighteen of the more modern buildings were torn from their foundations and wrecked, while the smaller buildings were demolished. Of the fatalities, two occurred at Denmark. Albert Barnes and his child, an infant, were caught among the falling timbers of their home and crushed to death. Mrs. Barnes was injured near Mulberry in Lincoln county, Tennessee. Thomas Helm was killed and Homer Ashby and his wife were injured. Near Wartrace, Tenn., a negro settlement was blown away.

DAMAGE IN ATLANTA.

ATLANTA, Ga., Oct. 15.—A wind and hailstorm of cyclonic proportions struck Atlanta at 5:20 Thursday afternoon and left a trail of wreck and ruin behind it. Hundreds of windows were broken, chimneys were blown down, trees uprooted and houses were unroofed. The property loss is estimated at at least \$100,000. There were no casualties. The storm lasted only twelve minutes, but the wind attained and held a velocity of fifty-six miles an hour. Pedestrians were blown against buildings and in some instances through windows. The covers of umbrellas were stripped from them by the hail stones, one of which measured fourteen inches.

Street car traffic was suspended for a time. Electric light wires strung

through the streets made travel very unsafe. Telephone and telegraph wires were down in all directions and several nearby cities were cut off.

WIRES ALL DOWN.

MEMPHIS, Oct. 15.—That a destructive storm of wind and hail swept over west and middle Tennessee and north Alabama, early Thursday night is evidenced by the fact that no communication of any character can be had with these sections. Telegraph and telephone wires are down and reports from small towns in the extreme western counties of Tennessee state that a severe windstorm occurred, unroofing houses, leveling telegraph poles and doing other damage. No loss of life is reported from these points.

DAMAGE IN ROME.

ROME, Ga., Oct. 15.—A terrific rain, wind and hailstorm of fifteen minutes' duration shortly after 5 o'clock Thursday afternoon smashed thousands of windows, including plate glass store fronts, uprooted trees, tore roofs from buildings in all parts of the city and wreaked damage generally. It is believed that crops in this section have been practically ruined.

The street railway and electric light systems were out of commission. Hailstones as large as oranges fell.

STORM AT CHATTANOOGA.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Oct. 15.—A severe electric storm passed over this city shortly after 7 o'clock last evening. Telephone and street car service were badly hampered for an hour or more. Hixon, Cleveland and other nearby points report the most damaging hail and windstorm in years.

You may find what you are looking for through a want ad. in The Sun.

DR. COOK WILL PROVE BARRILL WAS BRIBED

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as to his former version of the Mount McKinley trip.

"I have tonight forwarded a telegram to Anthony Flala, asking him to head an expedition to Mount McKinley to bring back my records. Another telegram has been sent to Prof. Herschell C. Parker of Columbia University, who accompanied me in the early stages of my last Mount McKinley expedition, asking him to join Flala on this expedition. The preliminary arrangements for the trip will be made at once and the expedition will start as soon as the weather permits next year.

"Mr. Flala and Prof. Parker no doubt will invite a number of expert mountain climbers to accompany them on the expedition. The result of their efforts will set at rest forever any doubt that may exist as to whether Barrill and myself reached the top-most summit and deposited there records as described in my book. 'To the top of the Continent.'"

NOTICE.

Bids will be received at the next regular meeting of the Board of County Commissioners, the same being the second day of November, 1909, for the building of a steel bridge between Alachua and Columbia counties across Santa Fe river. Plans of said bridge are on file in the Clerk's office at Gainesville and Lake City. The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. J. G. DAMPTER, Cha. Attest: S. H. WIENGER.

Typewriter ribbons for sale at this office. The best on the market. Only seventy-five cents. All colors and for use on all standard machines.

STORY OF THE GREAT STORM AT KEY WEST

Related By An Eye-Witness Who Was Aboard Steamer Lampasas All During the Gale.

TAMPA, Oct. 15.—The Mallory Steamship "Lampasas" came into this port yesterday afternoon, after having weathered the big storm at Key West, in good shape, and only sustaining slight damage, the denting of a side plate by reason of having a drifting schooner crush into it while tied at the Mallory docks at Key West during the hurricane, which prevailed there Monday, being the only injury sustained.

The "Lampasas" got into Key West Sunday afternoon, and was to have left Monday morning for Tampa, but the storm warning kept her from sailing and Capt. Smith commenced to make her fast to the dock to enable her to withstand the anticipated blow. It is said that so effectually did he accomplish this that the dock and its surrounding land would have been compelled to give way before the ship could have been torn loose from its moorings.

A passenger, in describing the way the "Lampasas" was made so fast, said: "Why, there were thirty-seven huge hawsers lapping the ship, the dock and even the land beyond the shore, the captain having bored great holes in the earth and carried the hawsers under the dock and around the boat. This he declared saved the ship in a blow which sent adrift or beached one hundred or more craft, which lined the city's wharf front." This passenger, a well-known traveling salesman for a New York ship chandlery house, gave a very vivid description of the devastation wrought in Key West, saying that from the inside of the pilot house of the "Lampasas" he was an eye-witness to nerve-racking scenes which cannot be accurately pictured by word of mouth or described in cold print.

Eye-Witness Tells of Storm.

"Nearby where our ship was bravely living unhurt through the blow, buildings and roofs were passing by in demolished fragments, roofs were being hurled and timbers, telegraph and telephone poles, trolley wires and even brick walls being piled up in high heaps along the streets."

A most peculiar freak of the wind

was described as occurring at the Episcopal church, where, according to the relator of the story, the hurricane lifted the spire high in the air allowing the roof to literally slide from under it, and then depositing the tall tower right down in the middle of the sanctuary.

Other strange freaks of the terrific blow were described, among them the tearing out of the entire front of a curio store on Duval street, carrying it to the rear wall of the establishment, where it was banked up in demolished shape, with a chaotic mass of stock, show cases and counters, the side and rear end walls of the house remaining as if to protect the store front from further progress.

At one point near the Curry wharfs from seventy-five to one hundred fishing craft and other small boats were piled high on top of each other in the street, making a tall eminence upon which people climbed after the wind subsided, to look over the damage wrought all over the city.

This passenger, with all others interviewed, are very loud in praise of Capt. Smith, commander of the "Lampasas," to whose excellent judgment and cool, explicit directions during the storm they attribute the saving of their lives and protection of the ship.

Mr. David Lauber, manager of the Tampa Bay Hotel, who was also a passenger on the "Lampasas," describes the experiences at Key West as awful, and he, too, has high commendation of the behavior of the captain and his crew during the critical period of the blow.

The "Lampasas" left here, yesterday for Mobile, after discharging a cargo of merchandise undamaged by the storm, and freeing a lot of passengers from New York, who had an experience rarely met with in a lifetime and as one of them expressed it, "one which beforehand I would not have undertaken to have gone through with for \$5,000, and one, now that I have had it, I would not have missed for a like amount."

Read the want ads. in today's Sun.

Little Girl Lost Balance; Drowned in Tub of Water

ATLANTA, Ga., Oct. 14.—While playing happily within easy call of her mother's voice, little Clara Harbin, the two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Warren L. Harbin, of 73 Fair Route, fell accidentally into a tub of water yesterday afternoon at her grandfather's house on Leggett street and was drowned almost immediately.

Mrs. Harbin had carried the child over to E. A. Harbin's home, which is near her own, and while the family had gathered into the sitting-room talking, little Clara was permitted to play around the room and in the hall. She had been absent for several moments before Mrs. Harbin noticed it and she immediately asked as to the child's whereabouts.

"Why, out on the back porch playing," answered the elder Mrs. Harbin.

"It's rather cold, though, and you had better bring her in."

The child's mother then opened the door of the sitting-room and went out on the porch and the next moment the older people were startled by a scream.

The child had been found, lying in the tub, with just her head immersed, as the water was only about a foot deep. Evidently she had been leaning over the tub and paddling her hands in the water when she lost her balance.

A physician was called in, but before his arrival the breath of life had gone out of the little body.

Clara had just passed her second birthday and had never known a day's sickness. She was an unusually bright and beautiful child, with golden hair and fair complexion. She was the pet and favorite of the entire neighborhood.

Boy Kills His Father For Mistreating His Mother

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Oct. 15.—Col. Robert L. Abernethy, one of the best-known farmers and stock raisers in North Carolina, was shot and instantly killed at an early hour yesterday morning in a desperate encounter with his son, Reuben, aged 20, after the father had made an unsuccessful effort to kill the son. The tragedy occurred at the family home, Openview farm, in Gaston county, and was witnessed by the wife and mother. Aber-

nethy entered his son's room yesterday morning, precipitated a quarrel over a trivial matter and drawing a pistol fired three shots at the boy, neither taking effect. The son grappled with him and in the fierce hand-to-hand struggle that ensued the pistol was discharged twice, both shots taking vital effect in the father. There had been bad blood between the two because of the father's treatment of his wife, which the boy resented.

Falling Hair
Ayer's Hair Vigor promptly destroys the germs that cause falling hair. It nourishes the hair-bulbs, restores them to health. The hair stops falling out, grows more rapidly.

Dandruff
Ayer's Hair Vigor just as promptly destroys the germs that cause dandruff. It removes every trace of dandruff itself, and keeps the scalp clean and in a healthy condition.

Does not Color the Hair

We wish you to positively and distinctly understand that Ayer's Hair Vigor does not affect the color of the hair, even to the slightest degree. Persons with the whitest or the lightest and most delicate blond hair may use it freely without having the hair made a shade darker.

Ingredients: Sulphur, Glycerin, Quinia, Sodium Chloride, Capsicum, Sage, Alcohol, Water, Perfume.

Show this formula to your doctor. Ask him what he thinks of it.
J. C. AYER COMPANY, Lowell, Mass.

FERRER RETAINS COM-

POSURE TO THE END.

BARCELONA, Oct. 14.—Prof. Francisco Ferrer, the Spanish educator and convicted revolutionist, was shot yesterday.

The execution was done at the fortress of Montjuich, where the prisoner had been confined since his condemnation by court-martial. The doomed man faced the firing squad without flinching and fell dead at the first volley.

Except for a momentary expression of emotion immediately preceding his death, he retained his composure to the last.

The firing squad was drawn by lot and the command to fire was given by Gen. Eserlin. Just before his eyes were bandaged Ferrer examined his will, which had been drafted for him by Senor Permayor, dean of the notaries, while the preparations for the execution were going on. The contents of the will have not been made public.

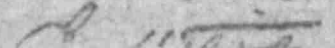
TWO BALLOONS SEEN OVER

SAINT ANDREWS BAY.

PENSACOLA, Oct. 14.—Parties coming to the city from St. Andrews, east of Pensacola, state that Tuesday night two balloons passed near that city, moving in a southwesterly direction. At the time they were sighted they appeared to be between 500 and 1,000 feet in the air and moving at a good rate of speed. Both were moving directly towards the Gulf and were watched until they disappeared over the Gulf. The parties who saw the balloons and who are familiar with conditions state that the wind was in such direction that the balloons would be compelled to fall in the Gulf.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the 

COWS SLEEP TWO DAYS

AFTER EATING THIS GRASS.

SANTA FE, N. M., Oct. 14.—While making a trip through the southwestern part of New Mexico, Herbert W. Wolcott of Alamogordo, N. M., found a grass from which he believes a narcotic may be extracted which will take the place of those now known to medical science.

"The grass is known as 'sleepy grass' to the natives of New Mexico near the reservation," said Mr. Wolcott. "Cattle and horses will eat it the first time they see it. It makes them fall to the ground in their tracks and lie in a state of coma for two days. When they wake up they have no ill effects from the opiate. But they will never eat it again; in fact, they will run away if it is offered to them."

"This is sleepy grass, not to be confused with the loco weed. The grass is not unlike the Kentucky blue grass in appearance. The loco weed is a plant and bears flowers. Horses and cattle become loco fiends and are worthless after tasting the deadly stuff."

ORANGE HEIGHTS NOTES.

ORANGE HEIGHTS, Oct. 14.—Mrs. Frank and Mrs. Spear Yearwood and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McMillan last week.

Sixteen members were taken in full connection with the church on Sunday as the result of the meetings recently held here.

Buster Kittler is home again and has gone to housekeeping.

Mrs. Sarah Tillman has moved back to her farm.

Mr. Doc Tyson is very low with consumption.

Mrs. Hattie Montgomery visited Melrose the first of the week and attended the meetings being held there.

Ross Montgomery was home a few days last week.

Miss Edith Atwater of Waldo visited Mrs. Wm. Paulsen this week.

The Sun job office is the place to have your calling cards engraved.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

BILL FOR DIVORCE.

In the Circuit Court, Eighth Judicial Circuit, Alachua County, Florida.
Chancery—Ethel McMahon vs. Ethel McMahon—Order Publication—Bill for Divorce.

It appearing by affidavit appended to the bill filed in the above stated case that the residence of Ethel McMahon, the Defendant therein named, is unknown to the complainant, and has been unknown to her nearly five years last past; that there is no person in the State and no of a subpoena upon whom would be served the said Defendant, and he is a person of twenty-one years; it is the order of the court that said Defendant be and he is hereby required to appear to the Bill of Complaint filed in said cause on or before Monday, the 1st day of November, A. D. 1909, otherwise the allegations of said bill will be taken as confessed by said Defendant.

It is further ordered that this order be published once a week for eight consecutive weeks in The Gainesville Sun newspaper published in said county of State.

This August 24th, 1909. A true and correct original of original
(Seal)

S. H. WIENGER,
Clerk Circuit Court.
By M. S. CHEVES, Deputy Clerk.
J. M. RIVERS,
Solicitor for Complainant.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that Lett of Administration on the estate of Frank E. Bryson, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned, and claims and demands against the estate must be presented for payment within the time required by law they will be barred; and all due said estate must be paid to the administrator. A. O. STENBURG
September 9, 1909. Administrator

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TUG BOAT WENT DOWN; ELEVEN MEN PERISHED

MIAMI, Fla., Oct. 14.—News reached here late yesterday afternoon of the sinking of the tug "Sybil" and the loss of the crew of the tug at Bahia Honda during Monday's hurricane, and the loss of the members of the crew of the tug, including Capt. Parker. The news was brought here by the expedition sent out by The Metropolis, the local afternoon newspaper.

The loss of life on the tug "Sybil" includes, besides Capt. Parker, Engineer Fox, Pilot Whitmore, Engineer Brown, and seven deck hands.

The following statement was given by Engineer Ernest Cotton of the Florida East Coast railway:

The loss of life on the Florida East Coast extension is limited to the crew of the tug "Sybil" and "Timekeeper" at Marathon, a total of twelve men.

The floating equipment of the road and uncompleted work were badly damaged. There was, however, no damage to the concrete work at any point. All of our camps were more or less wrecked, but the large forces of workmen are being cared for and have sufficient supplies of food. The men behaved well and already every man has gone to work clearing away wreckage and preparing for resuming the extension to traffic.

The track north of Marathon is washed out at several points, but the extent of the damage has not yet been determined.

Timekeeper J. H. Brown, an old employee of the Florida East Coast railway, was drowned at Marathon.

It was announced late yesterday that the P. and O. steamers, which have been connecting with trains at Knights dock, will begin sailing today.

The Metropolis expedition reached Marathon of 4,000 feet of track between Matate and Jewish creek, on

the Florida East Coast extension. The track also was shifted fifty feet. The provisions that the colony had at Jewfish are running low.

PENSACOLA, Fla., Oct. 14.—The wireless station here at 10:30 yesterday morning received the following message:

"Revenue cutter is ashore off the Mallory dock at Key West. The triangle buoy is gone. The sea buoy is out of position about a mile to the westward, and the shoal buoy has drifted about one-half mile to west of the shoals. Channel is unsafe at night on account of submerged wreckage."

MORGAN LINE PASSENGERS
REPORTED ALL RIGHT.

HOUSTON, Tex., Oct. 14.—The following wireless dispatch was received at the office of the Southern Pacific Company yesterday from the Steamer "Antilles":

"Antilles" ashore on Bahama Islands. Everybody on board safe and well. "Comus" leaving New Orleans today, reaching here about Friday, will take off passengers and carry them to New York.

"Everything all right on the 'Comus,' westbound, and she will arrive on time tomorrow morning at New Orleans."

To the Rescue.

HAVANA, Oct. 13.—This morning the steamer "Comus" left for the scene of "Antilles" grounding to render any needed assistance.

STORM BAD ONE.

TAMPA, Fla., Oct. 14.—The steamer "Lamparas" of the Mallory Line reached here at noon yesterday. Capt. Smith reported the storm the worst he has encountered in his thirty-five years at sea.

NEWS FROM ALL PARTS OF FLORIDA

St. Petersburg now boasts of having 22 automobiles, the estimated value of which is \$33,000.

H. M. and L. M. Sherouse, who have been in business at Micanopy and Reddick for many years, have opened a livery stable on Exposition street in Ocala.

The driver of The Tampa Times' pathfinding car which recently returned to Tampa from the trip to Jacksonville reports that the West Coast route is the shortest between the two cities, being 216.6 miles. The West Coast route includes Gainesville.

Money is rolling into the Tampa treasury at a lively rate. During the month of September there was collected \$7,298.96 as against \$4,276.31 for the corresponding month of last year. These amounts do not include the fines collected by the police court nor the receipts from dog licenses, cemetery, sanitary or house-moving licenses.

Detectives of the Jacksonville police department, aided by a Pinkerton man, have recovered part of a list of \$2,000 worth of silverware and other articles stolen from the residence of R. M. Barbour, on Spring street, during the family's absence the past summer. T. P. Buzhardt, an aged white man, has been arrested in connection with the case, and is charged with acting as a "fence" for a gang of negro burglars.

The Palatka correspondent writing to The Times-Union of Thursday, says: "The county commissioners, in special session today, turned down the various petitions for a wet or dry election in Putnam county on the ground of irregularities. This was a consideration of the petitions from the last meeting, which was a regular session of the board. This disposes of the matter for two years. The wet element is very much disappointed at the outcome of the matter, and there is talk of preferring charges against the board of county commissioners by the leaders of the 'moist' forces."

George Wiggins, the negro employee of Marion McLeod, when ordered to surrender the gun with which he had been terrifying the negroes in and about Needmore, four miles east of Citra, Saturday night while drunk, turned and shot Mr. McLeod in the arm, then escaped. Later McLeod headed a party of men who went out in search of the negro, found their man, who turned on them, seriously wounding McLeod in the abdomen. Wiggins was slightly wounded, but again escaped. Another posse of citizens, headed by Deputies Shearhouse and Stevens, surrounded Wiggins in a swamp, when he surrendered to Sheriff Galloway on a promise of protection from mob violence, and is now a prisoner in the Ocala jail. Mr. McLeod, who is a prominent turpentine operator, has been taken to Jacksonville for medical attention.

RICH WIDOW ENTERS

KNOXVILLE SCHOOL.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Oct. 13.—A Knoxville dispatch says that Mrs. Elizabeth Loftis, aged 65, a wealthy widow, has entered the public schools as a pupil in the first grade. She goes to school with her two grandchildren. She has learned her letters since school opened and can figure to the rule of three.

REST OF WOMAN'S
BODY IS DISCOVERED.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Oct. 13.—The headless and armless trunk of a woman's body, the lower limbs of which were discovered in a suit case at Tiverton Monday, was found in Tiverton yesterday afternoon.

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APPLETON, Wis., Oct. 14.—Miss Lucy Dietz, aged 26, of Hortonville, Wis., one of five children at the Dietz home to attend the funeral of their father, which occurred Tuesday, committed suicide early yesterday, after one of the brothers is said to have found enough strychnine in the coffee pot to kill every member of the family. It is believed that Miss Dietz realized she had been trapped and took a dose of the poison.

The Dietz estate, in which all the children are interested, is valued at about \$25,000.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that, on the 28th day of October, 1909, I, as administrator of the estate of Martha C. Foreman, deceased, (with the will annexed), will apply to H. G. Mason, County Judge of Alachua county, Florida, at Gainesville, for an order to sell the following real estate, for the purpose of paying debts of deceased, to wit: The $\frac{3}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ and $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 27, Tp. 8, R. 17 E.

J. T. PRICE,

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Balloon Made Speed of Thirty-Eight Miles an Hour

RICHMOND, Va., Oct. 14.—Winning the Lahm cup for the longest flight in a balloon, under the auspices of the Aero Club of America, and making all speed records for long distance flights, A. Holland Forbes of New York, and former Mayor Max Schachmann of Cincinnati, landed yesterday afternoon at 12:45 in Chester county, twenty miles south of Richmond. The trip was made in the balloon New York, in which Mr. Forbes was the duration contest in the Indianapolis contest.

Starting from the gas works in St. Louis at 5:30 Tuesday afternoon the balloon of 731 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles was made in

19 hours and 15 minutes, at an average speed of thirty-eight miles an hour. The balloon passed Lynchburg at 10:30 o'clock yesterday morning. Soon after noon an apparently large body of water was seen ahead and a large town came into view below. Mr. Forbes and his companion realizing the fast time they were making thought the water might be Chesapeake Bay and the city of Norfolk and adjudged it better to descend before the ocean was reached. The hazy weather helped to deceive the aeronauts in this respect and it was not until after landing was effected that they discovered that the town was Petersburg and the water James river.

North Carolina Man Cuts Off Head of Father-in-Law

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Oct. 15.—W. S. [Name], a wealthy farmer of Lincoln county, cut off the head of his father-in-law, Joseph Hallman, with an axe yesterday morning, then barred the door of his home, set fire to the furniture and was cremated. Wise appeared a few minutes before the body, but strange remarks caused a wife alarm and with the children

she ran to her father's home and awakened him. Wise met the aged man as he neared the house and severed his head completely with one blow of the axe, and rushing back into the house broke up the furniture with the same axe, and arranged his own funeral pyre. The tragedy occurred at 3 o'clock near Bethpage church, six miles west of Lincolnton.

One Negro Killed Another Over a Suit of Clothes

OCALA, Oct. 15.—As a result of a quarrel as to the ownership of a suit of clothes, Will Davis shot and killed [Name] Jackson at Citra Tuesday night, and is now locked up in the county jail. After words Davis turned on a club, struck Jackson on the head, and then shot him across the head, death

resulting a few hours later. Davis then fled to the woods where he was found asleep by Deputy Sheriff Sherouse an hour later. The prisoner was brought to this city yesterday morning and will be given a preliminary trial before Judge Bell in a few days.

NEWS OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

MATTERS OF GENERAL INTEREST SECURED BY SUN REPORTERS.

What Has Happened and What Is Going to Happen—Personal and Social Items of the City.

From Friday's Daily Sun.

Dock Johns of Waldo was a visitor to the city yesterday.

A. E. Stevens of Worthington was a visitor to the city yesterday.

Lyman Hall of Orange Heights was among the visitors to the city yesterday.

Dr. J. F. Mixson of Greenville is here for a few days on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Mixson.

Dr. B. M. Tison of Worthington Springs is in the city on a short visit to his parents, Capt. and Mrs. W. O. Tison.

Judge A. J. Cone of Raleigh is at the Sanitarium for the purpose of having his eyes treated, his sight becoming considerably impaired recently.

Mrs. W. A. McGriff of Arredondo was in the city yesterday on a shopping trip and visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Colson, on West Liberty street.

Uncle Sol Warren left yesterday for a visit of several days in Leesburg. He goes to look after his orange grove interests in that section and see after the gathering of the fruit.

Miss Mamie Fewell, who has spent the past summer in Jacksonville visiting her grandparents, is home for a few weeks, but expects to return soon to enter school for a commercial course.

W. H. Waits of Fairbanks, one of the old-time settlers of that section, was transacting business in the city yesterday. He is engaged in the wood and the business at that point and also runs a successful farm.

S. M. Richardson of Alachua was among the visitors to the city yesterday. He says that a large amount of cotton is still being stored at Alachua, which means that a large amount of cash will be turned loose there as soon as a sale is made.

Wade Thomas of Montecocha was among the planters visiting the city yesterday. He states that even the sweet potato crop is suffering for the want of rain in his section and that the yield has been cut off about one-half by the dry weather.

Mrs. W. B. Taylor, who has been absent for the past several weeks in Georgia and Alabama on a pleasure trip, returned to her home here yesterday. The past six weeks has been spent in Birmingham and she has had a most pleasant time among old friends.

J. E. Haynesworth, who has been on a visit to relatives at Citra, was in the city yesterday en route to his home near Alachua. He was accompanied by his children on his way down a week since and they will remain there for the next few weeks visiting relatives.

W. A. Snowden of Micanopy was among the visitors to the city yesterday. He says that the beans and peas planted by the truckers are looking fine considering the dry weather, but they are experiencing trouble in getting their lettuce plants to live just at this time.

T. M. King, agent for the Southern Express Company in this city, left yesterday for a short visit to Jacksonville. He will leave on next Monday for his annual vacation, which will be spent on the coast, where he expects to enjoy to the fullest extent fish and oysters.

Cards are out announcing the approaching marriage of Mr. Dayton Averca of this city to Miss Mary Sue, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Allen

of McIntosh, the happy event to be solemnized at the Christian church in McIntosh on Wednesday, November 3, at 6:30 o'clock a. m.

Frank H. Elmore, son of Capt. T. R. Elmore of this city, is here on a visit of a few days. He has just returned from an extended trip through Texas, but declares Florida for him and he is rather regretting the fact that he has another trip commencing next week, which will take him to Chicago.

N. W. Littlefield, formerly here with Dutton & Co., was a visitor to the city yesterday. He has been in the Alachua section looking over some of the cotton that is now stored there. His company is among the largest buyers of Georgia and he usually gets his portion of the crop from this section of the country.

Capt. B. W. Fontane, one of the large and successful truck raisers of Micanopy, was here yesterday on some business affairs. He states that a large acreage of fall vegetables have been planted in that section and he looks for the largest crop ever known the coming spring. The fall crops are looking fine and are very promising.

Mrs. James Bell, who has been making her home in Gainesville for the past several months with her children, left yesterday for Tampa to reside in the future in that city. She has a younger son, James, who is well remembered here, with whom she will live in the South Florida metropolis. The many friends of this estimable lady regret to lose her but trust that she will be pleased with her new home.

Capt. T. H. Cato, one of the foremost citizens and old-time settlers of the Alachua section, was a visitor to Gainesville Thursday. He says that a great amount of cotton is still in the hands of the farmers, where it will remain for some time to come unless the prices go up from what they are at present. Of course most of the small planters have turned their crops loose, but the larger ones are holding for a better market.

From Saturday's Daily Sun.

B. B. Hopson of High Springs was a visitor to the city yesterday.

B. B. Wheeler of Newberry was among the visitors to the city Friday.

Mrs. B. M. Heckard and children left yesterday for their future home in Dunnellon.

Mrs. W. J. Griffin and son, Gene, are in the city from Starke on a visit to the former's sister, Mrs. H. P. Holstein, on West Liberty street.

A. B. Oliver, of the firm of Oliver & Kite, has returned from the markets, where he went for the purpose of purchasing another carload of stock.

Miss Inez Thomas left yesterday for High Springs, where she will spend the next several weeks as the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. B. Godwin.

N. A. Callison of Spring Park Farm left yesterday for Jacksonville to meet Mrs. Callison, who has been for the past few weeks visiting in New York City.

J. F. Bunch has returned from Fort White, where he has been visiting relatives for the past few days and incidentally looking after some business matters.

S. T. Thomas of LaCrosse was among the visitors to the city yesterday. He states that it is very dry in his section and the farmers are wanting rain badly.

Football goods and other athletic requisites is what the Baird Hardware Company are advertising in their space for today. They have the agency for the celebrated "Reach" brand.

Mrs. C. L. Wilkins and Mrs. Albert F. Roux and daughter of Norfolk, Va., who have been the guests of Mrs. Robert E. Davis for several days, have departed for Sarasota, where they will spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds of Tacoma were among the shoppers visiting the city yesterday. They made the trip in their new auto and stated that the roads were in good condition considering the extra dry weather.

T. R. Bennett of LaCrosse was in the city yesterday en route home. He has for the past few weeks been with his son at Crescent City, who has had typhoid fever for the past six weeks, but who is now convalescing.

E. M. Wilson, special agent of the Union Central Life Insurance Company, is in the city. Mr. Wilson has been making his headquarters in Pensacola, but contemplates changing to Gainesville. He is a brother of State Attorney Ceph Wilson of Marianna

and Assistant U. S. Attorney Emmett Wilson of Pensacola, and is heartily welcomed to Gainesville.

S. Sternberg, who has been in the city for the past few days from New York, has again decided to move here and make this his home. He was formerly engaged in business on West Union street, and will open again soon.

A. J. Feaster of Rochelle was among the visitors to the city yesterday. He states that it will only be a short while now before cane-grindings will start in that section, but owing to the dry weather they will be of short duration.

B. Edelstein, who was formerly engaged in business in this city but who is now conducting a wholesale business in New York, arrived in Gainesville yesterday for a visit of some time here with his two sons, B. and D. Edelstein.

From Sunday's Daily Sun.

Carload horses and mules just received. Oliver & Kite.

Vance Winter and O. B. Weeks of Waldo visited the city yesterday.

MULES—The best ever shipped to Gainesville—just received by Oliver & Kite.

Note the Governor's appeal in this issue for aid for the Key West sufferers.

Claude Stokes of Hague was among the out-of-town visitors to the city yesterday.

Miss Emma Robinson, who has been visiting in Jacksonville for some time, has returned to her home here.

Dave Thomas, one of the successful planters of Windsor, was among the Saturday visitors to the city.

O. G. Russell, one of the enterprising planters of the Alachua section, was in the city yesterday and made this office a pleasant call.

A dress-making department has been added to the millinery parlors of Mrs. M. J. Patterson, which will be in charge of Miss Janie Tennant.

Miss Maggie Olmstead, who has been here on a visit for the past few days with Mrs. G. B. Tison, returned to her home at Alachua yesterday.

A. H. Thomas, who is connected with the Camp Phosphate Company at Ocala in the capacity of manager, was in the city yesterday en route to Newberry.

W. N. Tillman and son, L. P., of Campville, were visitors to the city yesterday. They state that the weather is dry in their section and rain is badly needed.

Wesley Burnett of LaCrosse, who is engaged in the contracting business, was in the city yesterday, having come for the purpose of purchasing some building material.

Mrs. T. M. King and children of Windsor were visitors to the city yesterday. They came to accompany Mr. King home, for he will be off for the next two weeks on his annual vacation.

We have opened dress-making parlors in connection with our millinery business, and have engaged Miss Janie Tennant, an experienced lady in this art. Mrs. M. J. Patterson, opposite Brown House.

J. E. Clemmons of Brooker, one of the successful planters of that place, was a visitor to Gainesville Saturday. While here he made a pleasant call at this office, renewing his subscription for another year.

M. C. McIntosh of Hawthorn was among the visitors here yesterday. He says that they are now erecting a new town hall for that place and considerable other improvements are noticeable in all sections.

Mrs. C. L. Carter and sister, Miss Beulah Hall, left yesterday for St. Augustine, where they will spend the next several days. From that point they expect to take a short trip down the East Coast before Miss Hall returns to Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Eddins, who were recently married in Baltimore, arrived in the city yesterday and will make this city their future home. The handsome new residence now being constructed by Mr. Eddins will be occupied by them as soon as completed.

T. B. Stringfellow, after an absence of several weeks from Gainesville, has returned home. While away he visited a number of places of interest, principally in the Western States, but returned a few weeks since to Alabama, where he has been with his family.

C. Y. Crawford, senior member of the firm of Crawford & Davis, who has been absent for the past several

weeks in the markets of Tennessee purchasing horses and mules for their stables in this city, returned home yesterday. He states that his stock is the prettiest he has ever purchased and will arrive during first of next week.

Cards have been received in this city announcing the marriage of Mr. Edward Lambeth Carroll to Miss Mary Matilda Norwood, the happy event to occur in Montgomery, Ala., on November 3. Mr. Carroll is well remembered here, having been born in this city, and residing with his parents on East Alachua avenue up to a few years since. They will make their future home in Jacksonville after November 25th.

A DELIGHTFUL OCCASION.

Margaret Ledbetter Tenders Young Friends Birthday Party

Upon the occasion of her second birthday anniversary little Miss Margaret Wade Ledbetter tendered her young friends a delightful "at home" at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Ledbetter, Saturday afternoon.

The decorations consisted of Teddy Bears, candy pigs, etc. The large birthday cake had two candles upon it, also the initials of the little hostess, and date "1907-1909," the table upon which the cake rested being prettily decorated with ferns and flowers. The chandelier was draped with red crepe paper to the four corners of the table, and the dining-room presented a most delightful and happy appearance as the little folk gathered to partake of the many dainties which had been prepared for them.

A peanut hunt afforded much pleasure to the little ones, the prizes being awarded to Fenton Prewitt and Emily Jenkins.

Ice cream, cake and candy were served the older guests, while cracknels and stick candy were served to the babies.

Those present were Emily Jenkins, Jennie O'Neill, Louise Prewitt, Anita Ellis, Inez and Josephine Brooks, Lillian Long, Frances DePass, Vivian Lambert, of Baltimore; Noyes Long, John and George Jenkins and Fenton Prewitt.

The little hostess was the recipient of many useful and pretty gifts, and all who were present hope for her many happy returns of the day.

Mrs. Ledbetter was assisted in entertaining by her niece, Mrs. Lon C. McCray, and Mrs. Jenkins. Other ladies present were Mrs. Prewitt, Mrs. Brooks, Misses Titman and Wertz.

The Rhodes Scholarship.

The next qualifying examination for the free Rhodes scholarship for Florida will be held at the University in this city on October 19-20. Applicants should report to the chairman of the committee at the president's office in the University not later than 9 a. m. on Tuesday.

This scholarship offers excellent opportunities for some Florida young man to spend three years of study in one of the greatest English Universities, at Oxford, England. The scholarship pays \$1,500 a year.

Receives the Appointment.

L. T. Roux of this city has received his appointment and commission as one of the collaborators in the Bureau of Plant Industry of the United States Department of Agriculture. This position is one that has only recently been created for the advancement of the agricultural interests, and some six or seven men will be appointed in this city whose duty it will be to visit among the farmers, taking observations and assisting them in the best methods for the crop.

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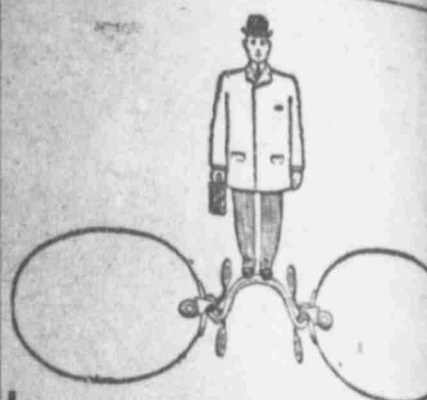
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